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Psychoactive Natural Products

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Psychoactive substances alter ones mental state, leading to changes in perception, mood, behavior, or consciousness. Psychoactive compounds have been identified from several natural sources, and these psychoactive natural products have found uses as probes for central nervous system (CNS) receptors and as leads for drug discovery. Furthermore, pharmacological studies on psychoactive natural products and their natural sources have enlightened the fundamental mechanistic underpinnings mediating the exhibited psychoactivity. This Special Issue aims to review recent examples on the isolation, structure elucidation, synthesis and pharmacological assessments on psychoactive natural products.

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